

DEPARTMENT OF THE NAVY

NAVAL MEDICAL CENTER 34800 BOB WILSON DRIVE SAN DIEGO, CALIFORNIA 92134-5000

IN REPLY REFER TO:

23 December 2014

Dear Naval Medical Center San Diego TRICARE Beneficiary,

This letter is to inform you that the Naval Medical Center San Diego's (NMCSD) Consolidated Mail Order Pharmacy Program (CMOP) will be discontinued on 31 May 2015 in accordance with the 2013 National Defense Authorization Act. This program will be replaced by the TRICARE Pharmacy Home Delivery program, which will be the only mail order program available after June 1st and requires co-pays for some prescriptions.

Active Duty personnel can take advantage of the new program for free and will NOT incur any costs. Formulary generic prescriptions for non-Active Duty beneficiaries are free as well. However, formulary brand and non-formulary medications will require a co-pay.

I encourage you to take time to read the attached TRICARE Pharmacy Home Delivery Fact Sheet containing details about the program. Information is also available at the TRICARE Pharmacy Home Delivery Program website (www.express-scripts.com/TRICARE).

NMCSD is committed to providing you with several options from which to choose. We have opened an additional refill pick-up location at the Naval Base San Diego Navy Exchange. Filling and refilling prescriptions in all of our Pharmacies is free, and there are 11 convenient locations across San Diego County. Enclosed you will find a complete list and map of pharmacy locations.

We are committed to answering your questions as you consider the different options available in meeting your prescription needs. Whether you are active duty, a reservist, a veteran or a family member, it is our honor to provide you with safe, high quality patient-centered care. Please do not hesitate to call us for assistance Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. (619- 532-8400). Thank you.

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Sincerely,

José A. Acosta CAPT, MC, USN

commanding Officer



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TRICARE Pharmacy Home Delivery

Your provider has ordered a prescription(s) to be filled through the TRICARE Pharmacy Home Delivery. The following guidelines are provided.

OTHER HEALTH INSURANCE

Are you covered by other health insurance (OHI) with a prescription drug benefit? *

YES - I am covered by OHI → Not eligible for TRICARE Home Delivery (Examples: Private or employer insurance with a prescription drug benefit)

 ${\tt NO}$ - I am not covered by OHI \rightarrow Eligible for TRICARE Home Delivery (Examples: Medicare A,B,or C, Drug discount Club, Medicare Supplement Program Only)

*Contact Express Scripts at 877-363-1303 to determine eligibility or for more information

Prescription Drug Costs - Tricare Home Delivery **/***			
	Generic (Formulary)	Brand Name (Formulary)	Non-Formulary
TRICARE Home Delivery (up to 90 days)	\$0	\$13	\$43

^{**} Active Duty personnel do not pay co-pays for generic or formulary brand name medications. Non-formulary medications require medical necessity forms to be processed with no co-pay.

*** Over the counter (OTC) medications and compounded medications cannot be filled through Tricare Home Delivery

How to determine the potential cost of your prescription(s)?

Visit the website http://pec.ha.osd.mil/formulary.search.php?submenuheader=1

DELIVERY OPTIONS

- 1. Prescriptions are mailed to your address in DEERS. Please ensure this information is up to date.
- 2. Addresses can be changed by calling Express Scripts or creating an online account and updating your address.
- 3. No cost for standard shipping. Prescriptions should arrive within 14 days. Next day delivery available for an additional cost

TRICARE Pharmacy Program Information and Assistance

TRICARE Pharmacy Home Delivery Program (Express Scripts Customer Service)
1-877-363-1303 or www.express-scripts.com/TRICARE

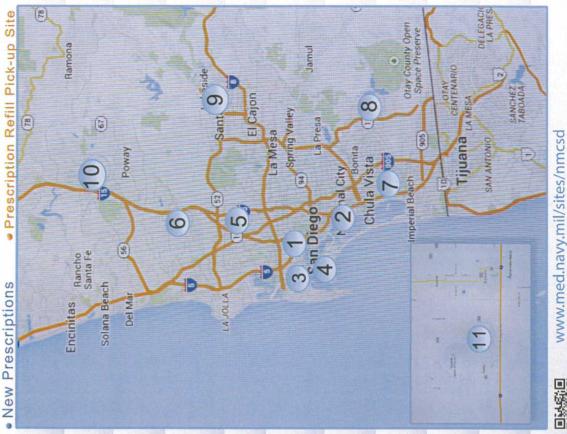
TRICARE Pharmacy Program: www.tricare.mil/mybenefit/home/Prescriptions/PharmacyProgram

** Please do not contact your local MTF regarding prescriptions being processed through the TRICARE

Home Delivery Program **

ACSD PHARMACY REFILL INFO AND LOCATIONS





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El Centro, CA 92243

Fri: 0800-1200 Sat, Sun, & Fed Holidays: CLOSED

Naval Branch Health Clinic El Centro

760 339-2631 Pharmacy

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